

FINANCE, OIL AND GAS

Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 13.—More than half the business transacted on the Pittsburgh board yesterday was in Oklahoma Gas. On sales of 2,150 shares that stock advanced to 32½, the highest ever quoted, and the final sale at \$2 a share over Saturday's close. No official news accompanied the buying, but gossip was of the bullish tenor which resulted in the movement last week. The other members of this group were dull and irregular. Lone Star Gas sold to the extent of \$35 a share at 150, a decline of \$2, and Ohio Fuel Oil was ¼ lower at 15. Manufacturers Light and Heat was steady at 48½.

Summary.			
60 A W G Mach.	62½	62½	
25 Lone Star Gas.	150	150	
170 Mfrs L & H.	48½	48½	
50 Midvale Steel.	53½	53½	
500 Mt Shasta.	31	31	
25 Ohio Fuel Oil.	15	15	
1,150 Oklahoma Gas.	32½	32½	
100 Pgh Brew.	37½	37½	
15 Pittsburgh Coal.	52½	52½	
500 P-J Copper.	29	29	
25 U S Steel.	117	117	
30 West Airbrake.	93½	93	
115 West Electric.	42½	42½	
3,755			

BONDS.
 \$ 250 Lib Loan 24 4s 93.90 93.90
 500 Lib L 2d 4½s 93.75 93.74
 200 Lib L 3d 4½s 95.16 95.16
 4,000 Pitts Brew 6s. 54 54

\$4,950
 *New high record.

New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Railroad stocks were the conspicuous features of yesterday's sluggish and irregular market, moving up to best prices for several months, presumably in anticipation of a speedy settlement of the question of stabilizing earnings and dividends.

Grangers and transcontinentals were most active, St. Paul common and preferred advancing 2½ and 3½, respec-

AMERICAN PILOTS WORKING ON BLIMPS

These Queer Looking Air-Craft Are the Deadly Foes of Subs.

AN AMERICAN BALLOON BASE IN ENGLAND, July 21.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The "Blimp" is the nickname which the American pilots have given to the little dirigible airships which are technically termed "S. S." or Submarine Scouts.

The gas-bag of the Blimp is about 150 feet long and 30 feet in diameter. The lower structure is virtually that of a scouting airplane of medium power, so that the whole effect is that of a sort of cross between airplane and balloon. The crew is usually one pilot and an observer, and the speed is about 40 miles an hour.

The cargo is a load of bombs which work like a destroyer's depth charges, exploding by waterpressure at a depth of 20 to 80 feet. The carriage contains steering gear, bomb levers, wireless apparatus, camera and observation instruments.

Hundreds of Blimps are constantly on duty around the coasts of France and England. American pilots and observers are just beginning to take up this work. It is the greatest U-boat destroyer in existence, if the men who work the Blimps are to be believed. One enthusiastic American pilot who had been dropping bombs up and down the Irish sea for a month, remarked to The Associated Press correspondent, "The Blimp is not only one of the ways of destroying U-boats, it is the way."

The advantage that the Blimp has over the seaplane is that it can stand still in the air. If a U-boat dives down and lies out of sight on the bottom, the Blimp sits over it until it decides to move on or come to the surface. If the submarine does not move, the Blimp is just as well content, for in the meantime the wireless has been at work, and trawlers are coming up in the course of an hour or two with the necessary equipment to smoke the submarine out of his hole.

If the submarine rises before naval help arrives, the Blimp tackles it alone with bombs. If the submarine tries to move away along the bottom of the sea, the Blimp follows its shadow until it comes, sooner or later, to a shallow spot where it can be effectively dealt with.

Subject to the Blimp's fuel supply

HAD SWEATS THEN CHILLS ALL NIGHT LONG SHE SAYS

Was So Nervous, Weak and Rundown Had No Appetite and Felt Miserable.

SHORT TREATMENT OF HYPO-COD DID THE WORK.

"My husband who works at the Windsor hotel here in Wheeling, was told by my stomach, liver and kidney trouble and he brought home some for me. It is wonderful what Hypo-Cod will do for you," declares Mrs. James W. Mort.

"I used to have terrible headaches that almost drove me insane. Then when night came on I would have chills run all up and down my back and then sweats would bathe me in perspiration. I was so weak and run-

tively. Canadian Pacific caused a scramble of short covering on its extreme gain of 3 points, Union Pacific rose 2, Great Northern 1½ and Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific 1 each.

Reading did not move with other coals during the morning, but hardened later on the steady inquiry for Erie, Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio, Pittsburgh Coal and Pittsburgh and West Virginia.

Grain and Produce

FINANCE—GRAIN AND PRODUCE... CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Pessimistic crop reports from Nebraska and Missouri, together with complaints of excessive heat in the Southwest, had much to do yesterday with bringing about sharp advances in the price of corn. The market closed strong, 3c to 3½c net higher, with September \$1.62½@1.63½, and October \$1.63½@1.64½. Oats gained ½c to ¾c. The finish in provisions ranged from 15 cents decline to a raise of 12 cents.

Articles.		Open.	Close.
CORN—			
September	1.58½	1.62½	
October	1.59½	1.63½	
OATS—			
September	67½	69	
October	69	70	
PORK—			
September		44.25	

Oil and Gas

In the Weir sand pool on Kellys Creek in Cabin Creek district, West Virginia, the Columbia Carbon Company has drilled its well on the Springer lot deeper for the second time and the production has been increased to 2,200 barrels a day. This is one of the first wells which got the Weir oil pay by deeper drilling from the gas sand and started off at 1,000 barrels a day. After flowing at this rate for some time it settled down to 300 barrels, and as the oil pay had been only tapped on the first deeper drilling it was decided to go farther into the sand, with the result that she started off at the above figures.

and its "duration power" in the air, there is little chance of escape for a U-boat once it has been sighted by one of these handy little dirigibles. The sighting or spotting of the U-boats is the great difficulty, for the seas around England are large places and the range of the individual Blimp is comparatively small.

A larger type of Blimp is now being used, known technically as the C. P. or Coast Patrol. It carries a larger crew and a greater supply of fuel and is used for detecting minefields as well as submarines.

Arthur Yoho Dies In Wheeling Hospital

Arthur Yoho, aged 26 years, died on Saturday at the Ohio Valley General hospital in Wheeling as a result of an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Yoho, whose home was in Caernon, had been in the hospital for some time and was expected to return home on Saturday when he was suddenly taken worse, death resulting before his wife who was hastily summoned could reach his bedside. Mrs. Yoho was formerly Miss Cecil Fletcher, a daughter of W. A. Fletcher, of Farmington. Two small children survive the union. Funeral services were held today at Caernon and the body interred there.

Dollars Are Only Tools In Someone's Hands.

You alone are responsible for what YOUR dollars do. If some of them do not go regularly into an emergency fund, then a portion of them have been mislaid.

Let the hand on the purse respond first to the greatest duty you owe yourself.

A question which the National Bank of Fairmont depositor never asks himself, is: "Where does the money go?"

The NATIONAL BANK OF FAIRMONT WEST VA.

WINS IN GREAT PICARDY BATTLE



General Sir Henry Rawlinson is in command of the British Fourth Army, which with the French under General Debenbury is driving the Germans back in Picardy.

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RAILROAD MAN GIVES GOOD ADVICE

"Several years ago I was under treatment of a stomach specialist for 5 months, 3 weeks of which were spent in a hospital. Another stomach specialist told me I had gall stones and that an operation was necessary. I did not want to have this. I lost 45 pounds in weight. Talking with a brakeman one day he told me of May's Wonderful Remedy and since taking it I have gained 15 pounds and am feeling fine. I am advising others to try it." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Crane's drug store, H. & H. Drug Co., Prescription Pharmacy at Man-nington and druggists everywhere.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that at a regular call meeting of the Fairview Athletic Association Co., held in the office of the president, G. R. Miller, in the town of Fairview Thursday evening, August 8th, at 8 p. m., the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

(1) Resolved, first, That the Fairview Athletic Association Co., a corporation created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, does hereby discontinue business as a corporation, and surrender to said state its charter and corporation franchises.

(2) Resolved, second, That the board of directors will proceed to convert the property, choses in action and all assets of this corporation into cash, and pay off and discharge all such debts, liabilities and obligations, divide the remainder among the stockholders pro rata with their several holdings of stock, but no such payments shall be made to any stockholder until after the publication of the notice hereinafter provided.

By G. R. MILLER, President.

W. D. YOST, Secretary. 8-13-20-27-3

Grocery Store For Sale. On account of war conditions and the manager leaving, will sell to quick buyer. Store has done \$19,000 business in 5½ months. Apply at J. H. Snider's Furniture Store.

SHAVER TRANSFER

260 Cleveland Ave.
 All kinds of hauling and delivering done promptly and carefully. Call Phone No. 640.

R. B. BERNHEIM, Secretary. 7-23-30-8-6-13.

New Houses For Rent

Four and five room houses just completed on Speedway near Owens Bottle plant and close to Fair grounds. All conveniences.

Greater Fairmont Investment Co
 Fairmont Hotel Building.



Packers' Costs and Profits

How much do you think it costs—

1. To dress beef, cure hides, and prepare all the numerous by-products?
2. To cool the meat for two or three days before shipment?
3. To freight it to all parts of the country in special refrigerator cars, iced daily?
4. To carry it in hundreds of branch houses, each with its refrigerating plant?
5. And to deliver it to the retailer—sweet and fresh—in less than two weeks after dressing?

Swift & Company did all this for you in 1917 at an expense of less than 2½ cents per pound of beef sold, including an average profit of ¼ of a cent a pound.

Figure for yourself how little effect this cost and profit had on prices you paid for beef steak.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

SPECIAL NOTICES

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA CAPITAL BUILDING CHARLESTON.

A meeting of THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA, held on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1918.

CASE NO. 767. PITTSBURGH AND WEST VIRGINIA GAS COMPANY. Application for authority to change rates.

Whereas, application has this day been filed by the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Gas Company for authority to change its rates for gas, it is ordered that leave be granted to any one interested to file objection thereto on or before the 5th day of September, 1918; and this matter be set down for hearing at a meeting of the Commission to be held at its offices in the Capitol building in the City of Charleston on the said 5th day of September, 1918, at two o'clock p. m. at which time any one may appear and make such objection thereto as may be deemed proper.

It is further ordered that the applicant publish a copy of this order once each week for four successive weeks in two newspapers of opposite politics, if such there be, and of general circulation in the county or counties affected by the proposed change in rates; and said applicant shall also mail to or serve on each of its consumers affected by the proposed change in rates, at least fifteen days prior to the said 5th day of September, 1918, a written notice in the form prescribed by the Commission, showing that it has applied to The Public Service Commission for authority to change its rates, the time and place of such hearing, and the rates proposed to be charged by it; making due return to this Commission of the publication of order and service of notice upon its said consumers on or before the date of hearing.

R. B. BERNHEIM, Secretary. 7-23-30-8-6-13.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

ONE CENT A WORD CASH WITH ORDER

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Good laborers; steady employment. Helmick Foundry, Machine Co. 7-11-41-421

WANTED—Men for C. & P. Telephone Company. Apply to Wire Chiefs' office, Bell telephone building, Monroe street. Good wages. Steady employment. 8-7-41-4238.

WANTED—Agencies, \$50 weekly and automobile furnished men every where, placing samples; wonderful product with automobile owners. 3c worth equals gallons of gasoline. Outfit free. L. Ballwey, Station F, Louisville, Ky. 8-9-18-4250

WANTED—Night cook, male or female. Apply B. & O. Restaurant. 8-12-41

WANTED

WANTED—Eight 10-12 horsepower steam engine. Reply in writing, specifying size, condition and price to 8-12-41-4255.

WANTED—To borrow \$7,000.00 for a number of years. Can give first mortgage on \$20,000 worth first-class real estate. Phone 724-W. 8-10-41-4255.

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady just out of business school. Phone 970-W. 8-12-41-4260

WANTED—Second hand visible Smith Premier or L. C. Smith typewriter. Fairmont Candy Co., 569-R. 8-12-41-4275

WANTED—Eight 10-12 horsepower steam engine. Reply in writing, specifying size, condition and price to Box 4249 West Virginian. 8-13-21

FARMS FOR SALE

FINE 130-acre farm for sale on paved road; electric cars stop at door; 2 miles county seat; 8 miles city of 20,000; good land and buildings; bargain for quick sale. S. Lleser, Jefferson, O. 8-6-41-4237

100-ACRE FARM, about 25 acres timber, including large sugar bush, two houses, three barns, one mile from macadam road; five miles from Conneaut; \$40 per acre; would sell part with buildings. Carrie Bennett, Route 2, Conneaut, Ohio. 8-12-41-4263

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six-room residence on Field street. See F. B. Dickinson, 563 Locust avenue. 7-20-41-4255

FOR SALE—Six-room frame house, seven room brick, eight room brick house. All large lots. Close in. Desirable community. Address Post-office Box 250. 4-2-41-3543

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room frame residence. Inquire 1197 Alexander Pace Phone 601-J. 8-5-41-4222.

FOR SALE—7-room modern frame house on paved street in Eighth ward. Possession about Sept. 1st. Owner leaving city. Address Box 4256, West Virginian. 8-10-41-4256.

ROOMS TO RENT

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Also two bedrooms to men. 557 Pierpont Ave. 8-6-41-4241

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath. Address Box 4248, West Virginian. 8-8-41-4248.

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. 505 Auburn st. Call 1146-J. 8-12-31.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. 12 Rhea Terrace. 8-12-31-4269

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping and one furnished room. Call at 394 Quincy St. 8-13-21



WANT ADS PAY



LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Saturday night between Troy Laundry and South Side Bridge, part of watch fob with lock attached. Reward if returned to Casey Co., office South Side Bridge. 8-12-41

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Middle aged girl to work in dental office. Must have had dental office experience and good recommendation. Apply Union Dentists' office, 7:30 p. m. 7-30-41-4188

GOVERNMENT NEEDS 20,000 WOMEN CLERKS AT WASHINGTON. Examinations everywhere in August. Experience unnecessary. Women desiring government positions write for free particulars to J. O. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner), 906 Kenosia Bldg., Washington, D. C. 8-10-41-4288

WANTED—Lady bookkeeper. Experience not necessary. Must write plain neat hand and be accurate in figures. Pleasant interesting work. Apply in person at 420 Main street. 8-8-18-4348

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Apply Mrs. R. E. Rightmire, 726 Mt. Vernon Ave., City. 8-13-41-4265

WANTED—Woman for general housework—Small family. J. N. Tobbs, 407 6th St. 8-13-21-4378

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 609-W, 231 Watson Ave. 8-12-31-4268

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Two in family. Apply 902 Fairmont Ave. or phone 142. 8-13-41-4370

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Team of young black horses; weigh 1,250 and 1,300; also wagon and harness. Call J. T. Wells, Barrackville, phone 7124-R-14. 8-6-41-4237

FOR SALE—Brick business building. Fine location. Monthly rental, \$165.00. Call 724-W. 8-10-41-4254.

FOR SALE—Good horse and wagon. Inquire Mountain City Flower Shop or H. W. Leaman. 8-10-3-41-4261

FOR SALE—Second hand bicycle in first class condition. 1849 Morgan-town Ave. 8-12-31-4263

FOR SALE—1918 model touring car. Good condition. Address Box No. 4264 West Virginian. 8-13-41

FOR SALE—1 grocer's refrigerator and show case. Will sell cheap. Call 343. 8-13-41-4374

FOR SALE—At bargain, a high powered Peerless speedster. Inquire 107 Hawthorne street. 8-12-41-4371

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR SALE—Six-room house, all modern conveniences, 3 squares from court house. Bargain if sold at once at \$2,800.00. Phone 613-J or 546 Hamilton St. 8-10-31-4259

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Dr. D. L. L. YOST Practice limited to office and consultation. New Location 310 Main St. Hours 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily, and 1 to 4 p. m. Sunday by appointment. Phone—New Directory 373; Residence Phone 1295 J.

Repairing and rebuilding automobile radiators a specialty. Old Radiators Bought, Rebuilt and Sold. H. R. ONEY Practical Tinner and Sheet Metal Worker, 328 Monroe St.

U. Schmidt and R. Lefevre. Window Glass and Windshields. Phone 477 W. 802 Gaston Ave.

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Which do you prefer? Our Savings Department pays interest, and will welcome your account.

Fairmont Trust Company